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LANE CLOSURE AND ADDITIONAL TRAFFIC ON SR 299 AT SACRAMENTO RIVER BRIDGE

REDDING – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) District 2 reports, contractors will begin the first major concrete pour of the new bridge at the Dana to Downtown project on State Route 44, Thursday February 5, beginning 6 a.m.

Motorist will notice additional heavy equipment within the work zone during the 18 hour procedure. Additionally Caltrans will close the westbound number two lane from 6:00 p.m. Thursday until 6:00 a.m. Friday, February 6 for construction activities.

Drivers are reminded that the speed limit is 45 mph in the construction zone and to use caution around construction equipment and personnel.

For more information please contact the Public Information Office at 530-225-3260.

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The Dana to Downtown Project emerged from a 1997 study performed by Caltrans and sponsored by the Shasta County Regional Transportation Planning Agency and has consistently been rated by the RTPA as the highest priority transportation project in the Redding area and Shasta County. Fifty-four percent of the project is funded from State transportation revenues approved by the RTPA while the remaining 46 percent comes from State transportation revenues approved by the Caltrans. The RTPA governing board consists of the three members of the Shasta County Board of Supervisors and four City Council members representing Redding, Anderson and the City of Shasta Lake.